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REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT FOR PTO AND APPLICANTS' MISTAKES (37 C.F.R. 1.322(a) AND 37 C.F.R. 1.323)

Attached in duplicate are three Forms PTO/SB/44 (04-04), with at least one copy being suitable for printing.

Following are the pages and line numbers where the errors occur in the application file:

On the Form PTO-1449 mailed by Applicants on July 7, 2003 via Express

Mail concurrently with the filing of the application, in reference A.H. on page 1, the

Patent Number listed is 6,016,579 and the Patentee's name is Maes et al. The

face sheet correctly indicates the Patentee's name to be Taricani, Jr. for this

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Patent Number. However, Applicants inadvertently listed the reference as Patent Number 6,016,579, when it should be 6,016,576. Please correct Applicants' typographical error for this reference to be 6,016,576. Please also delete "Taricani, Jr." on the face sheet and insert --Maes et al.-- as the Patentee's name.

Furthermore, regarding the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed by Applicants on November 2, 2004, in the "OTHER DOCUMENTS" portion, the title for reference A.T. is "Guarding the flank with RADIUS & TACACS+." However, on the page 2 of the face sheet of the printed patent, the corresponding title reads as "Guarding the flank with RADIUS & TACACS=." Please correct this Patent Office error to show the correct title to be "Guarding the flank with RADIUS & TACACS+."

Additionally regarding the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed by Applicants on November 2, 2004, in the "OTHER DOCUMENTS" portion for reference E.S., the author's name is listed as "Krebsbach, Karen." However on page 2 of the face sheet of the printed patent, the corresponding name reads as "Kresbach, Karen." Please correct this Patent Office error to show the correct spelling of the author's name to be "Krebsbach, Karen."

In the application, at page 3, line 21, please delete the word "are" after the word "rules" and insert the word "is" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 2, line 46.

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In the application, at page 6, line 24, please delete the word "is" in both instances and insert the word "are" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 4, lines 32 and 33.

In the application, at page 7, line 20, please insert a period after "etc.)".

Please correct the issued patent at column 5, line 1.

In the application, at page 11, line 13, please delete the word "are" after the word "characteristics" and insert the word "is" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 7, line 21.

In the application, at page 12, line 6, the specification reads "Server(s);" however the issued patent at column 7, lines 50-51 shows this word with a space between the word "Server" and the parenthetical "(s)." Please correct this Patent Office error.

In the application, at page 12, line 16, please delete the words "finger print facial shape" and insert the words "fingerprint, facial shape" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 7, line 65.

In the application, at page 13, line 7, please delete the numeral "1" and insert the word "one" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 8, line 20.

In the application, at page 14, line 18, after the word "can," please insert the word "be." Please correct the issued patent at column 9, line 12.

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In the application, at page 15, line 11, please add an apostrophe in the word "users" to make it read "user's." Please correct the issued patent at column 9, line 35.

In the application, at page 15, line 19, please add a comma after "(if available)" to make it read "(if available)," Please correct the issued patent at column 9, line 48.

In the application, at page 16, line 11, please add a period after the abbreviation "etc" to make it read "etc." Please correct the issued patent at column 10, line 3.

In the application, at page 17, line 16, please add a period after the word "equivalents" to make it read "equivalents." Please correct the issued patent at column 10, line 50.

In the application, at page 19, line 3 of claim 4, please delete the colon after the word "belongs" and insert a semicolon therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 11, line 30.

In the application, at page 20, line 2 of claim 7, please delete the word "devices" and insert the word "device" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at column 12, line 16.

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In the application, at page 22, line 11 of claim 15, please insert the word

"it" between the words "if" and "is." Please correct the issued patent at column

13, line 12.

In the application, at page 23, line 11 of claim 16, please insert the word

"it" between the words "if" and "is." Please correct the issued patent at column

13, line 49.

In the application, at page 26, line 8 of claim 22, please delete the word

"exists" and insert the word "exist" therefor. Please correct the issued patent at

column 16, line 2 of renumbered claim 23.

Applicants respectfully note that these errors were committed by the Patent

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